Conversion of Town Panchayats to Municipalities.

*Q.—327. Sri M. M. J. SADYOJATHA (Kudligi).—

Will the Minister for Municipal Adminitration be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether it is a fact that the Government has decided to convert Kottur and Harapanahalli Town Panchayats into Municipalities ;

(*b*) if so, whether these Panchayats will be excluded from the Taluk Board Constituencies ?

A.—Sri R. M. PATIL (Minister for Municipal Administration).—

(*a*) No.

(*b*) Does not arise in view of the reply to the clause (*a*)

Koothankere Tank Works

*Q.—656. Sri P. VENKATAGIRIYAPPA (Kolar).—

Will the Minister for Public Works be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether any estimate has been prepared to construct the abandoned 'Koothankere' tank work of Kallandur Village, Kolar Taluk ;

(*b*) whether Government is aware that the entire tank bed is under cultivation and the tank bed is disposed of to cultivators after both Revenue and P. W. D. have agreed for the disposal of the land as the proposed tank work is not economical ;

(*c*) if so, whether Government have decided to drop the proposal of constructing the tank work ?

A.—Sri ALUR HANUMANTHAPPA (Deputy Minister for Minor Irrigation).—

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) Yes.

(*c*) No decision is taken in this behalf.

Ramdurg Taluk Sale Union Society

*Q.—736. Smt. SHARADAVVA MAHADEVAPPA PATTAN (Ramdurg).—

Will the Minister for Development and Co-operation be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether the Ramadurga Taluk Sale Union Society had misappropriated Rs. 27,000 as per audit report and also it was